

District 5 Working Groups

- 1) Housing: Develop system to notify property owners of nuisance tenants; add category to PD question card.
- 2) Schools: Teach kids pride in selves and pride in community; provide opportunities to expand horizons with field trips, camping visiting universities
- 3) Grants - Develop 501(c)3 to fundraise and support youth programs called "Save Our Youth (SOY) East San Jose"

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- 4) City Services & Literature - Provide materials in multiple languages to educate residents how to report problems; Residents get frustrated and never call again.
- 5) Community Policing - Developing relationships are critical to build trust in reporting; utilize Special-Ops assignments because they are over multiple years and not subject to shift change, such as VCET, Metro and/or School Liaison Units as pilot until passage of Sales Tax Measure to fund more Crime Prevention Officers

MGPTF Community Crisis Response Protocol

The Mayor's Gang Prevention Task Force (MGPTF) implements a Crisis Response Protocol aimed at restoring "peace" in the community and assisting family members, relatives, and witnesses of violent incidents. This protocol activates police and other city departments, community service organizations, social service agencies, and schools to respond promptly to acts of violence.

The following information will describe the process of the activation and implementation of the crisis response protocol:

Critical Incident

A gang related homicide and or an extraordinary circumstance occurring anywhere within the city of San Jose.

SJPD Response (Immediate)

In response to a homicide or serious bodily injury, SJPD will deploy appropriate personnel and units (i.e. Gang Investigations Unit (GIU), Violent Crimes Enforcement Team (VCET).

Notification (Within 24 Hrs)

Following an incident SJPD provides a classified notification to the Mayor's Office, City Manager's Office, Office of the affected councilmember, and the Mayor's Gang Prevention Task Force key leadership.

Activate Internal Team (Within 72 Hrs)

A team comprised of city departments and community service organizations begin to assess community climate, identify and deploy resources, and identify a course of action. Staff are then deployed to work with school officials, youth/families, and neighborhoods where needed, along with the San Jose Police Department, to de-escalate volatile situations, provide aftercare and "cooling off" opportunities to prevent retaliation and further violent incidents.

Update Affected City Council District (Within 48 Hrs)

City staff will update councilmember on the activation response, deployment of resources, and define next steps.

Plan Community Meeting (Within 48 Hrs) When Requested by the Community

Brief and engage community leaders in finalizing the agenda and outcomes for the community meeting. An outreach plan will also be discussed and implemented.

Facilitate Community Meeting (Within 14 days)

City staff and community leaders will convene a meeting to inform residents of recent events, services provided, available resources, and the development of the 30, 60, 90 Day Action Plan if warranted. The Strong Neighborhood Initiative staff will be responsible for managing the plan.

Transition Strategy

Action items identified at the community meeting or within the 30-60-90 Day Action Plan will transition and be incorporated into the Association or existing Neighborhood Advisory Committee (NAC) community improvement plan for review.

